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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Small Entity)

Docket No.  
4164 P

In Re Application Of: Robison et al.

Serial No.  
09/253,793

Filing Date  
02/22/99

Examiner  
E. Keasel

Group Art Unit  
3754

Invention: BANDED VALVE PLUG HEAD



TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 02/13/01 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 05/13/01 until: 08/13/01  
Date Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$445 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0581  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0581 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Signature

Dated: 11 August 2001

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, it is courteously requested that an extension of time for response within the third month following the period set in the Office Action be granted. This extends the time through and including August 13, 2001. A check made payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for \$445.00 is enclosed. If any additional extension of time is needed, such extension of time is hereby requested. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2001.



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